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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is made in response to the Office Action mailed January 7, 2004 for which a one-month shortened statutory period for reply is set for February 7, 2004. A request for a three-month extension of times accompanies this Amendment.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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